

Think Before Littering!

Biodegradation Rate of Common Items



Cotton Rope:
3 to 14 months



Paper:
2 to 5 months



Wool Socks:
1 to 5 years



Glass bottles:
1 million years



Cotton rags:
1 to 5 months



Orange Peels:
6 months



Plastic bags:
10 to 20 years



Six Pack Rings:
450 years



Tin Cans:
50 to 100 years



Leather Shoes:
25-40 years



Cigarette Butts:
1-12 years



Plastic Bottles:
1,000 years



Aluminum cans:
80-100 years